

Bessatsu Champion Renewal Celebration - Special Oneshot

BEAST COMPLEX

ビーストコンプレックス

THE CHIPMUNK
AND THE
"SNOW RABBIT"

FROM THE
4-AWARD-WINNING
AUTHOR OF BEASTARS,
THE MASTERPIECE
OF A HUMAN DRAMA
PORTRAYED BY ANIMALS!!

A big mission
for a small
creature

◆ TROUBLE AT THE EDITORIAL
DEPARTMENT OF A LITERARY MAGAZINE!





I VISITED
HER PLACE
YESTERDAY,
BUT SHE
COMPLETELY
STONEWALLED
ME.



FIG-SENSEI'S
SHORT STORY
SERIES IS OUR
SIGNATURE
SERIES...
AND I KNOW
THERE'S A LOT
OF PRESSURE...

BUT I
NEED HER
TO DO HER
BEST TO
HAND ME THE
MANUSCRIPT
BY TONIGHT.



I'VE
ALWAYS
THOUGHT
YOU AND
FIG-SENSEI
DON'T GO
WELL WITH
EACH OTHER.



A CRUDE
CARNIVOROUS
HEAD EDITOR
LIKE YOU
COULD NEVER
UNDERSTAND.



FIG-SENSEI
HAS THE FIRST-
HAND EXPERIENCE
NEEDED TO VIVIDLY
EXPRESS THE FRAIL
AND DELICATE LIVES
OF OUR HERBIVORE
READERS. IT'S
EARNED HER A
HUGE AUDIENCE
AMONG THEM!



YOU
MIGHT GET
ALONG JUST
FINE WITH
SOMEONE
AS DELICATE
AS MS. FIG

O-OF
COURSE,
KIM-SAN
SHOULD
DO IT

YOU
GUYS ARE
HERBIVORES
AFTER ALL!

WA...
WAIT
WAIT!

PERHAPS
THINGS
WOULD GO
UNEXPEC-
TEDLY WELL
IF KIM-SAN
WENT TO
GET IT.



I DON'T
EVEN KNOW
WHAT KIND
OF AUTHOR
FIG-SENSEI
IS...

I... I'VE
ONLY BEEN
HERE FOR
A MONTH!?



WE HAVE TO TRY
EVERY WAY WE CAN!!
YOU KNOW THE
DEADLINE IS TONIGHT!!

BEING
AN EDITOR
REQUIRES
DEVOTION
AS MUCH
AS IT DOES
KNOWLEDGE!!

...6-
GOT
IT...

AND
THE
SALES!!
WHO
KNOWS
HOW
IT WILL
AFFECT
OUR
SALES!!

FIG-
SENSEI'S
WORK MIGHT
NOT APPEAR
IN THIS
MONTH'S
ISSUE!!



YOU
MIGHT SAY
THAT ME
AND THIS
PRESSURE
DON'T GO
WELL WITH
EACH
OTHER.





T/N: "JUJUSHA" IS A PARODY OF SOHJUSHA, A JAPANESE COMPANY



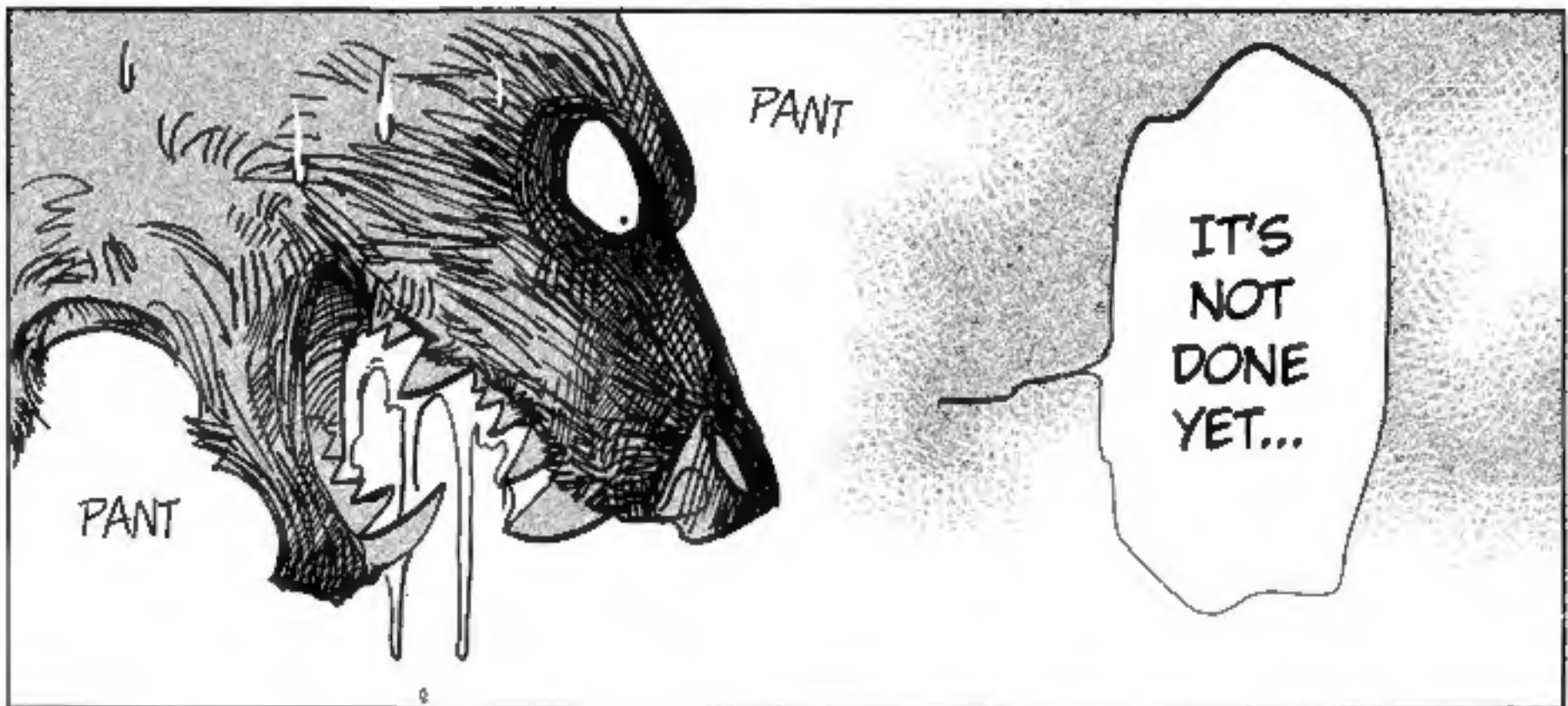
THUD

AH...

AH...

WHERE
IS FIG-
SENSEI!?

TUG



HE SMELLS
LIKE AN ANIMAL
THAT HAD
SURVIVED
THE DARK



DARK CIRCLES
HAD FORMED
AROUND HIS
EYES...

HIS APPEARANCE
TELLS ME ALL I
NEED TO KNOW.

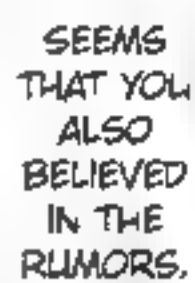


THEY
WERE THE
ONLY
ONE A BIT
OF A

IS FIG-
SENSEI...

THAT
BEAR...





SEEMS
THAT YOU
ALSO
BELIEVED
IN THE
RUMORS.



YOU EVEN
BROUGHT
THOSE GIFTS
BASED ON WHO
YOU THOUGHT I
SHOULD LOOK
LIKE.



ONLY
HALF A
PAGE
LEFT...



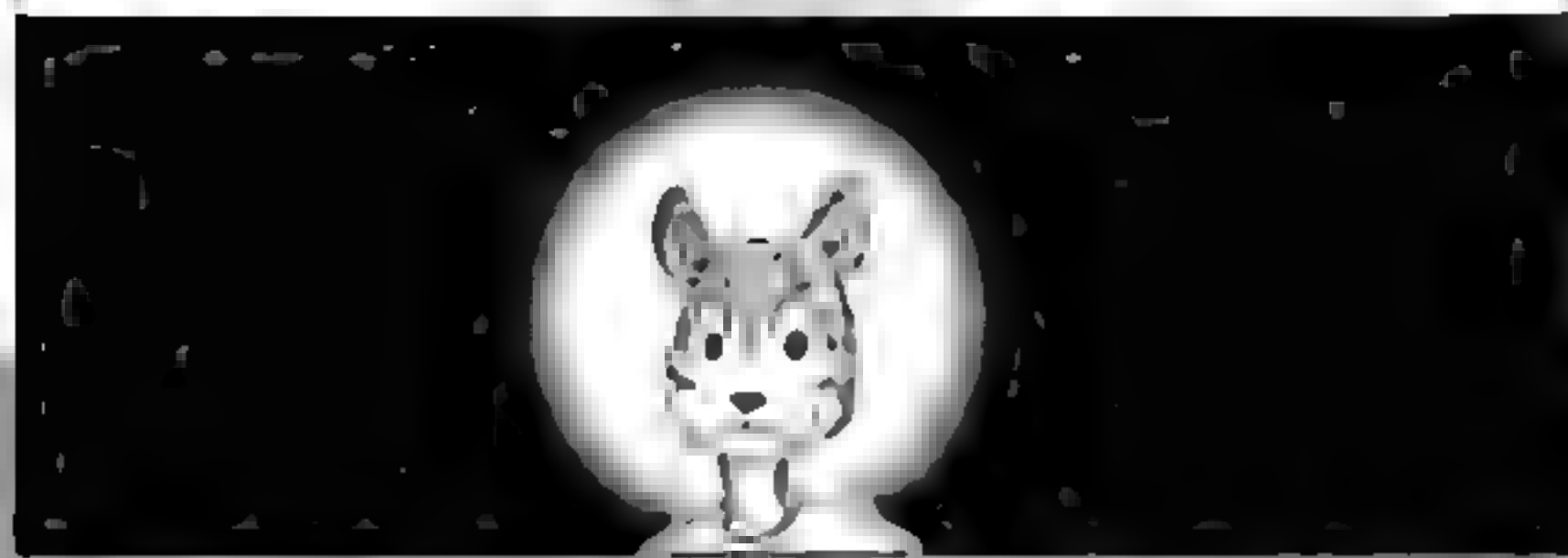
DON'T
KEEP THE
DOOR OPEN
TOO LONG;
ALL OF MY
IDEAS WILL
LEAK OUT.



WAS
JUST A
RUMOR!?



F-FIG-
SENSEI
BEING A
SNOW
RABBIT...





I'VE KNOWN
FIG-SENSE!
SINCE HIGH
SCHOOL.

THEY'RE ALL
SET IN THE
MODERN SOCIETY,
WITH HERBIVORE
PROTAGONISTS.

BEFORE
I KNEW IT,
I HAD
DEVoured
EVERY BOOK
THEY WROTE.



THEIR
LITERATURE
ALWAYS SEEMED
TO SIDE WITH
THE WEAK.
I NEVER REALIZED
A WRITER COULD
SPEAK TO THE
HEARTS OF
HERBIVORES
SO WELL.







YOU
MAKE THEM
FEEL SO
REAL

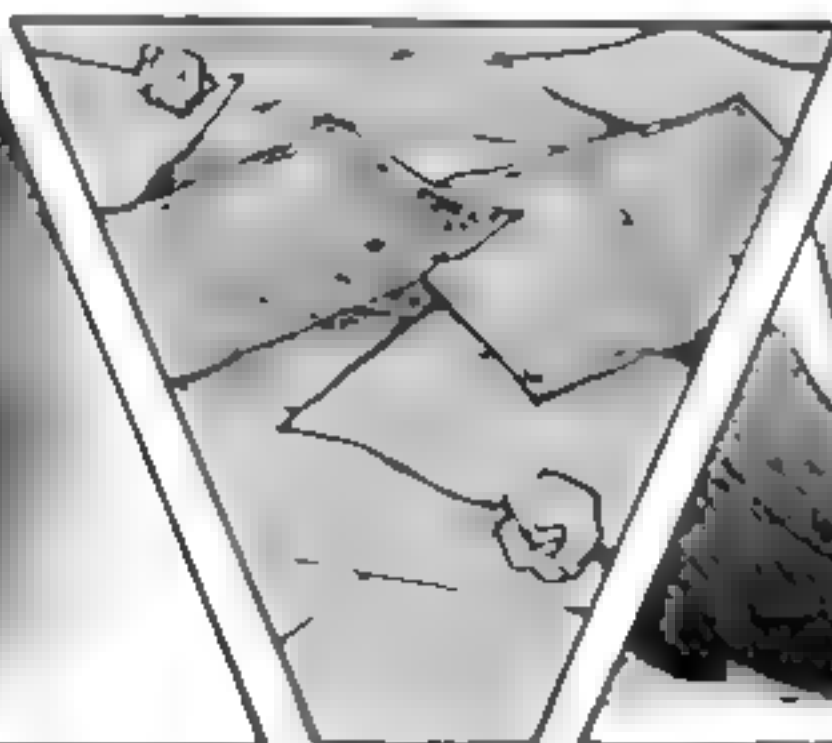


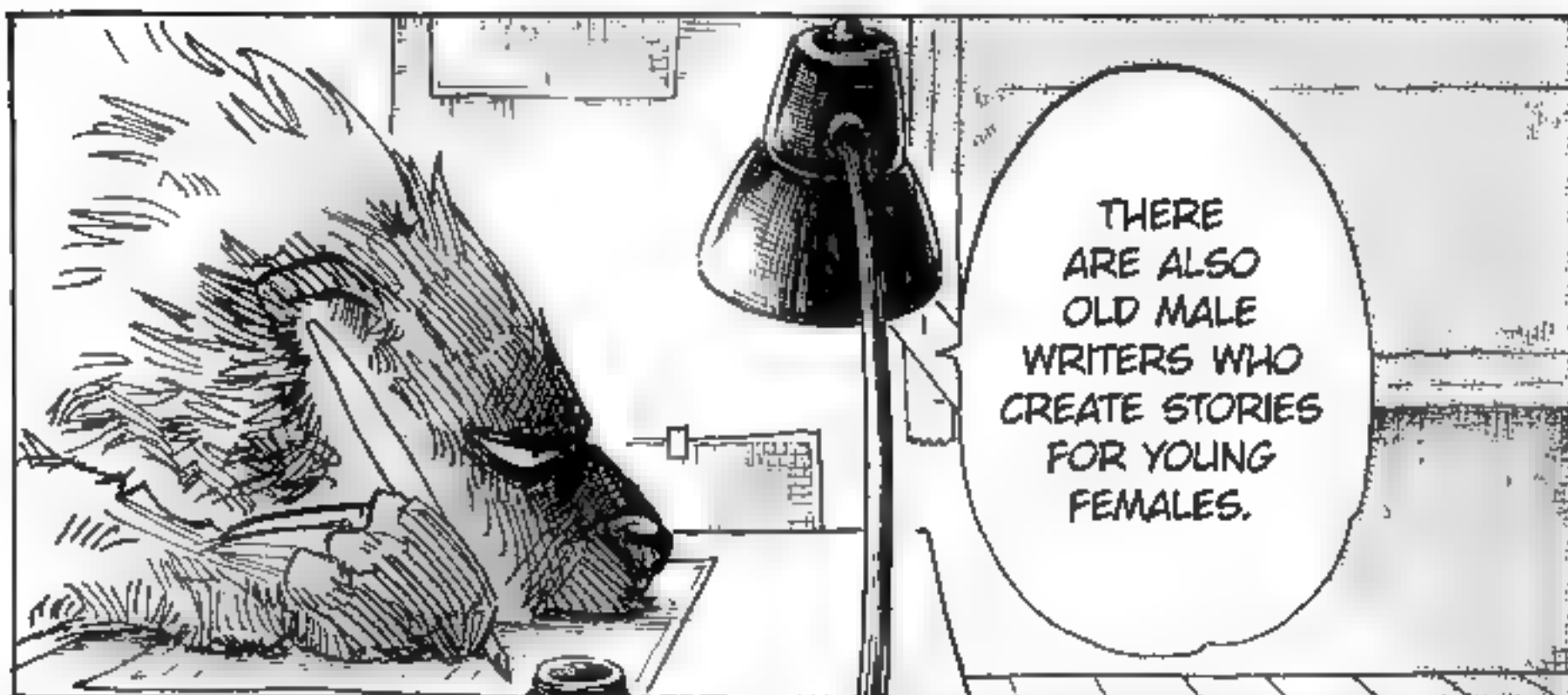
THE WAY
YOU DESCRIBE
THE WEAKNESS OF
THE HERBIVORES
THEIR EMOTIONS
THEIR FEARS...



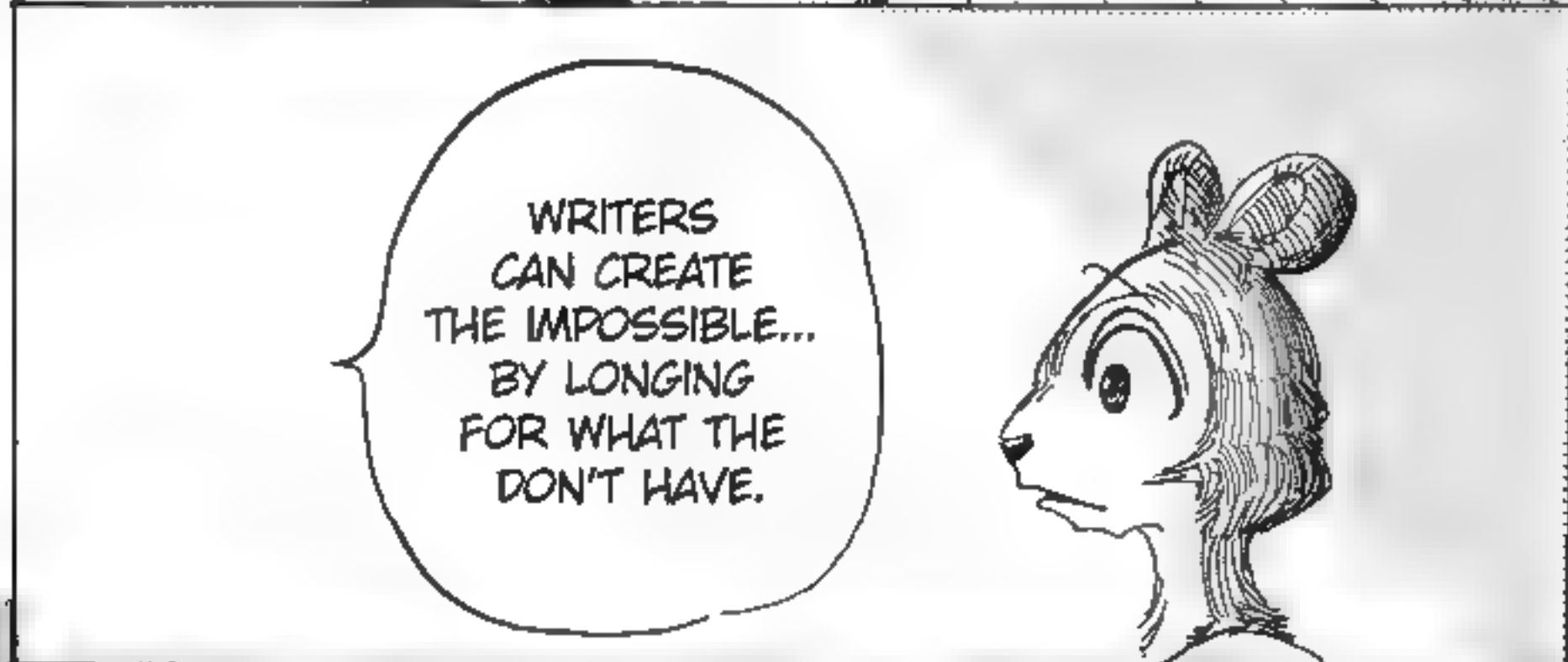
THE
FEAR OF
BEING EATEN
DAY AFTER DAY...
I MEAN, THAT'S
THE FEAR OF
A HERBIVORE.

HOW...
HOW DO
YOU DO
IT?





THERE
ARE ALSO
OLD MALE
WRITERS WHO
CREATE STORIES
FOR YOUNG
FEMALES.



WRITERS
CAN CREATE
THE IMPOSSIBLE...
BY LONGING
FOR WHAT THE
DON'T HAVE.



...UNTIL MY
BODY AND
MIND CAN'T
TAKE ANY
MORE...

I LET
THEIR
SPIRIT
POSSESS
ME AND
CONTROL
ME...

FOR ME,
I LIKE
TO SCOUR
THE HEART
OF A LIVELY
HERBIVORE...

...BEING
COMPLETELY
SLUMPED
RIGHT
NOW.

I'M
JUST A
BLACK
BEAR...

N-NO...
DON'T
WORRY,
YOU'RE
FIG-SENSE!
AFTER
ALL.....!!

DON'T
YOU HAVE
ONLY HALF
A PAGE
LEFT!?

DO
YOU HAVE
ANY IDEA...
HOW MUCH
A NOVEL
DEPENDS
ON HOW
YOU END
IT?

**IT'S NOT
AN EASY
JOB!!**

Rise



I CAN'T
JUST WRITE
LIKE THIS...
MY WRITING
CAREER...
I'LL HAVE
TO FIND A
NEW WAY
TO MAKE
A LIVING.



SENSEI







...BY
FORCE.

...WILL
HAVE NO
CHOICE,
BUT TO
TAKE IT
DIRECTLY
FROM AN
HERBI-
VORE...

WE
WILL
BECOME
ONE.

Pant

Pant

SENSEI
...

AH...
WHAT THE
HELL...

SCRIBBLE
SCRIBBLE

THIS
SERIES
WILL BE
OUR COLLA-
BORATION...
YOU SHOULD
FEEL LUCKY
FOR THAT.



"THERE'S
NO FEAR
IN IT...
IT IS A
GLIMMER OF
HOPE FOR
THE WILL
TO LIVE."



"AT
THAT TIME,
HER TEARY
EYES SHED
A BRILLIANT
LIGHT."

...WHAT
DO YOU
THINK?

GUESS
I'VE BEEN
NEGLECTING
TO GET
INPUT
LATELY.

YOUR FACE
JUST NOW...
WAS BRIMMING
WITH LIFE.

...

...





TO
EAT
ME...?

OR
DID HE
INTEND

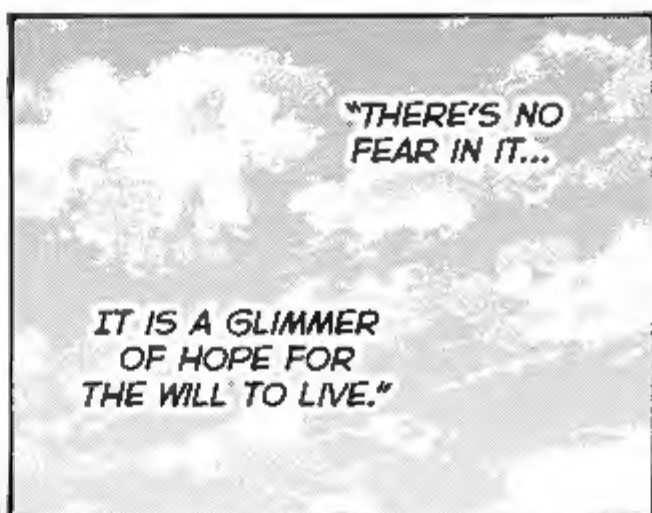
DID
FIG-SENSEI
INTEND TO
GET MY INPUT
FROM THE
BEGINNING?



AS
MUCH AS
I HATE TO
ADMIT IT...



SUCH
A NICE
ENDING.



"THERE'S NO
FEAR IN IT..."

IT IS A GLIMMER
OF HOPE FOR
THE WILL TO LIVE."



AS FOR
THE REST,
I HOPE
FIG-SENSEI
HAS A GOOD
EXPLANATION
TO PROVIDE
IN HIS WORK.

Otherwise,
I won't
forgive you.

...RETRIEVING THIS
MANUSCRIPT
IS ALREADY
A GLIMMER
OF HOPE,
FOR A
SQUIRREL
LIKE ME.

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<u>TRANSLATOR:</u>	numbuhl
<u>CLEANER:</u>	eoneon
<u>REDRAWER:</u>	SleepyWulfy
<u>TYPESETTER:</u>	SoundFox
<u>ORGANIZER:</u>	YyRoMmli
<u>PROOFREADER:</u>	Tatsulot
	Baron
	Maadpaw



HYBRIDGUMI COMMENT

BEAST COMPLEX CHAPTER 7 WAS ORIGINALLY RELEASED IN
MARCH 2019 IN SPECIAL SHONEN CHAMPION.
THIS WAS AT THE SAME TIME THAT BEASTARS CHAPTER 115 WAS RELEASED.

FUNNY EDITS

(THESE WERE MADE DURING OUR TRANSLATION)



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MELON FORESHADOWING?



WHEN
PEOPLE FLAME
OUR WORK ->



ME RETURNING TO SCHOOL
AFTER WINTER BREAK



REACTION TO EVERY EVENT IN 2020



PARU MEETING HER DEADLINES

